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RE: **DOCKET NO. 340 -** Optasite Towers LLC and Omnipoint Communications, Inc. application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance and operation of a telecommunications facility located at 1 Deerfield Lane, Ansonia, Connecticut.

Dear Attorney Baldwin:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) requests your responses to the enclosed questions no later than September 14, 2007. To help expedite the Council's review, please file individual responses as soon as they are available.

Please forward an original and 20 copies to this office. In accordance with the State Solid Waste Management Plan, the Council is requesting that all filings be submitted on recyclable paper, primarily regular weight white office paper. Please avoid using heavy stock paper, colored paper, and metal or plastic binders and separators. Fewer copies of bulk material may be provided as appropriate.

Yours very truly,
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Parties and Intervenors



Docket 340: Optasite & T-Mobile Ansonia, Connecticut Pre-Hearing Interrogatories for Cellco/Verizon

- 1. What are Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless' (Cellco) licensed frequencies in New Haven County?
- 2. What is the signal strength for which Cellco designs its wireless system?
- 3. What is Cellco's existing signal strength in the area of the proposed tower?
- 4. Does Cellco have a coverage gap on Route 313? On Peck Hill Road? If so, what is the size of the coverage gap on Route 313? On Peck Hill Road?
- 5. What would be the distance on Route 313 that Cellco's antennas would cover?
- 6. What would be the distance on Peck Hill Road that Cellco's antennas would cover?
- 7. What is the total area that Cellco's antennas would cover from this site?
- 8. With which existing Cellco facilities would antennas at this location hand off signals? Identify sites by height of structure, height of antennas, type of structure, address, distance, and direction from the proposed site.
- 9. Provide the following information for Cellco antennas that would be installed on this tower: number of channels per sector for each antenna system that would be installed on the proposed tower, watts ERP per channel for each antenna system, frequency at which each antenna system would operate, and height at which Cellco antennas would be installed.
- 10. How many antennas would Cellco install on the proposed tower? How would they be mounted?
- 11. Provide propagation maps showing the following:
 - a) Cellco's existing coverage
 - b) Cellco's proposed coverage
 - c) Cellco's coverage assuming that its antennas are centered ten feet lower than proposed

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LIST OF PARTIES AND INTERVENORS $\underline{\text{SERVICE LIST}}$

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